NOTICE OF AN APPLICATION FOR TIER IC CLASSIFICATION

Sunoco Service Station 366 Main Street Oxford, Massachusetts 01540 RTNs 2-14151, 2-14155

Pursuant to the Massachusetts Contingency Plan (310 CMR 40.510), an application for a Tier IC Classification has been submitted to the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) for the above referenced site. The application proposes the following rationale:

- A Phase I Initial Site Investigation Report has been completed at the site, the results of which form the basis for the Numerical Ranking System scoring.
- A Numerical Ranking System score indicates that the site is classified as Tier IC based on site conditions and protocol established by the Massachusetts Contingency Plan.
- The site is located within a DEP Approved Zone II.

Anyone interested in reviewing the Tier IC application should notify the DEP by writing to DEP, Bureau of Waste Site Cleanup, Permit Section, at the Central Regional Office, 627 Main Street, Worcester, Massachusetts 01608 by January 29, 2003. If anyone notifies the DEP of his or her interest in reviewing or submitting comment on the application, DEP will conduct a public comment review period of twenty (20) days, which shall run concurrently with DEP's Initial Technical Review of the application. Anyone who fails to notify the DEP in writing of his/her interest in commenting on the application by the above date may be deemed to have waived his/her rights, if any, to appeal DEP's permit decision or to intervene in an adjudicatory proceeding with respect to this application, pursuant to 310 CMR 40.0770 (2).

M.G.L. c. 21 E and the Massachusetts Contingency Plan provide additional opportunities for public notice of and involvement in decisions regarding response actions at disposal sites: 1) The Chief Municipal Official and Board of Health of the community in which the site is located will be notified of major milestones and events, pursuant to 310 CMR 40.1403; and 2) Upon receipt of petition from ten or more residents of the municipality potentially affected by a disposal site, a plan for involving the public in decisions regarding response actions at the site will be prepared and implemented, pursuant to 310 CMR 40.1405.

To obtain more information on this disposal site and the opportunities for public involvement during its remediation, please contact Mr. William Brochu, of Sunoco Inc. (R&M), at (800) 777-6444.